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1. OBJECTIVES OF VISIT, AS INDICATED IN VTR SUGGESTIONS AND REFTTEL B, TO ENCOURAGE DIRECT CONTACTS AND EXCHANGE OF MATERIAL AND VISITS BETWEEN SPECIALIZED US-USSR PUBLICATIONS IN RELATED FIELDS. SECONDARY OBJECTIVES WOULD BE TO EXPLAIN ROLE OF U.S. BUSINESS PRESS IN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, TO GIVE A SENSE OF CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS IN U.S. ECONOMY AND TO DEMONSTRATE U.S. INTEREST IN FURTHER ECONOMIC COOPERATION.

2. FINAL PROGRAM DEPENDENT ON SOVIET OFFICIALS AT PRESENT OTHERWISE OCCUPIED (E.G. MOSCOW PLENUM) BUT POST BUILDING VISIT AROUND SESSIONS WITH UP TO 30-40 GUESTS (POSSIBLY MORE) AT US-USSR TRADE AND ECONOMIC COUNCIL (MAY 16) AND EMBASSY COMMERCIAL OFFICE (TENTATIVELY MAY 19). AIMING ALSO FOR CALLS ON UNION OF JOURNALISTS (AT THEIR HOUSE OF JOURNALISTS), ZHURNALIST MAGAZINE (ORGAN OF UNION OF JOURNALISTS), MOSCOW STATE UNIVERSITY JOURNALISM FACULTY, MINISTRY OF FOREIGN TRADE, CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PRESS SECTION. HOPE TO HAVE FIRM OUTLINES OF SCHEDULE BY EARLY MAY, BUT FINAL SCHEDULE NOT EXPECTED UNTIL SHORTLY BEFORE VISIT. EXPECT MIX OF SMALL AND LARGER MEETINGS. IN ANY CASE, ASSUME MAJOR SPECIFIC MILL INTEREST IN AREAS OF TRADE JOURNALS

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SHIPPED, AND WILL SEEK OUT SOVIET COUNTERPARTS ACCORDINGLY.

3. DEPENDING ON FURTHER ARRANGEMENTS, MAY BE WORTH CUTTING
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